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The people of Ethiopia seem to have no fear of war with Italy. Press dispatches state that the war spirit is so fierce the chiefs are having trouble restraining these hot blooded warriors from beginning a march on the frontier of the contiguous Italian colonies. The dusky hued Ethiopians are fearless fighters, and forty years ago, administered a crushing defeat to the Italian invaders who sought conquest of that territory.

A new menace seems to threaten suburban London, for great swarms of flying ants are invading the homes and householders are having a hard time freeing their houses from the great swarms of these pests. In one or two instances, reports say, that families have been forced to abandon their homes. It is to be hoped that these Londoners will keep these ants from becoming world tourists. Legends tell us that after the settlement of Jamestown in 1607 one of the colonists went back to England and on his return brought some great creatures he found in Ireland—he brought about a hundred fleas with him—we all know the results. Since then it has just been scratch, scratch.

**SAVE THE SOIL IS PLEA OF GOVERNMENT**

The following is an extract from an address made by W. R. Landrum, agronomist for the Lamesa Soil Conservation camp, at a meeting of the Lamesa Luncheon Club on Tuesday of this week. We thought it an exceptionally valuable article and think that it would be wise for every interested person to read it.

"The destruction of our soil by erosion constitutes a constant menace to

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the very existence of our American civilization that merits the concern of all our people. No foreign enemy, using the most effective engines of destruction, could more quickly and completely destroy our most valuable resources than does this persistent and tireless foe, which destroys, annually tens of millions of acres of our richest soil. The study and practice of efficient methods to control this evil, people and the efforts being made by our Government, through its Soil Erosion Service, to combat this dangerous enemy, challenges the patriotism of every good citizen. From the fact that much of our soil erosion has been induced and accelerated by the acts of men, we are justified in assuming that it can be partially remedied and controlled by human agencies.

"A glaring example of the destruction of natural resources is found in the Gobi Desert, in Asia Minor and in the Arabian Peninsula. Fossilized remains of plants and animals and the ruins of prehistoric cities, recently unearthed by archaeologists bear mute evidence of a once glorious civilization, transformed into a howling wilderness. Buried under mountains of dust and sand are houses and lands, once the favored place of man, rendered uninhabitable by the destructive forces of nature.

"But, of more vital importance to us is the enormous land destruction, caused by the wind and water erosion in our own country. The average farmer, in the past, seems to have labored under the delusion that the deed to his land entitled him to undisputed possession forever. Whereas, experience proves that by decree of a Higher Power he is merely a steward intrusted with a priceless heritage. That if he be faithful to that stewardship by exercising intelligent management in conserving moisture and fertility, he may enjoy to the utmost the fruit thereof. While on the other hand, should he prove unfaithful in his stewardship by failure to conserve the rainfall and by robbing the land of its natural cover, it will be wrested from him by the power of wind and flood.

"Erosion surveys, recently made, reveal that in the United States alone we have already permitted to be utterly destroyed by erosion an area of formerly cultivated land amounting to two hundred and twenty thousand farms of one hundred and sixty acres each, value at five hundred million dollars, equaling in extent the combined areas of Illinois, Massachusetts and Connecticut. If a foreign foe should threaten to invade the smallest of these states, we would resist the invasion with our last dollar and our last drop of blood. Is it not time that our people become aroused to this more dangerous enemy that threatens our fair land from coast to coast and throw their unstinted support to our Government in its efforts to control erosion.

"In addition to the total destruction of two hundred and twenty thousand farms, already mentioned, the survey also shows that erosion has partially destroyed approximately 125,000,000 acres to an extent that

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renders them unprofitable for farming. "The loss in fertility, due to erosion, on the farms of America, measured in terms of commercial fertilizer, amounts to four hundred million dollars annually. "The greatest nations of ancient, mediaeval and modern times were indebted to the richness of their soil for their prosperity and power and many of the greatest, among them, owed their downfall to a decadent agriculture.

"In the light of history, the great problem confronting our country today is the prevention of the loss of our soil resources by erosion. It must NOT be allowed to continue. "Of especial importance to us of the great plains area is the damage to our soil by wind erosion. During the past two years, six million, seven hundred and fifty thousands acres of fertile land in West Texas has been seriously damaged by wind and thousands of these acres has seen the top soil blown off to the depth of cultivation and in many fields the loss of top soil amounts to as much as eight to ten inches. It takes nature from fifteen hundred to four thousand years to build up four inches of top soil which deprived of its natural grass covering, unprotected by a substituted crop cover, may be blown completely away within a period of eighteen months. This has happened, not only in Texas, but over a wide area in the Dakotas, Western Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska, as well as in Eastern Colorado and New Mexico. This region includes much of our best wheat and livestock producing country and in extent is equal to an

area as wide as the state of Kansas, reaching from Kansas City to the Atlantic Ocean. "Facing this serious menace to our great American bread basket and recognizing that wind erosion can be controlled, the United States Government, through its Soil Erosion Service, has established at Dalhart, Texas, an educational demonstration in wind erosion control. This demonstration is based upon the fact that, before the native sod was destroyed by plowing, wind erosion was practically unknown in the country. That due to crude methods of tillage, which allowed a large percentage of the rainfall to run off the land, crop failures are inevitable in seasons of light rainfall. That removal of all crop residues in the form of green wheat, stubble and stalks, either by over grazing, burning or harvesting for fodder, the topsoil was exposed to the ravages of the wind.

"To the average person the Panhandle Plains appear to be perfectly level while surveys show that the entire slope of the country averages fifteen feet per mile. Experiments prove that practically all water in excess of one inch, falling on bare, cultivated fields of heavier type soils during a period of less than 24 hours is subject to run off. It will be observed that blowing of soil invariably starts on the high points and steeper slopes of fields, where insufficient moisture accumulates to produce adequate vegetation to protect the soil. Conversely it will be noted that, in dry seasons, practically the only crop produced is on the low spots and sides of the fields.

"It is the plan and purpose of the Dalhart Project to demonstrate that by conserving the moisture that falls on the land, by means of terracing and contour tillage, vegetation can be produced during periods of severe drought. That by utilizing the crop residue thus produced as a protective soil cover, wind erosion can be reduced to the minimum and much needed organic material added to the soil.

community have gone 100 per cent toward approving the work and want the soil erosion work to begin as soon as possible.

Other communities have had good attendance at the meetings and have wanted additional information on the nature of the work. Other meetings are scheduled for every meeting night during the remainder of the month and large, interested crowds are expected.

**ATTEND MASONIC MEET**

D. M. Estes left last Wednesday for Kerrville, where he attended a meeting of district deputy Grand Masters, A. E. & A. M. Mr. Estes has been prominent in Masonic work in this state for a number of years.

Mr. DeWitt Knox arrived Sunday from Rotan, and has taken up his duties at Davis Drug Store. Mr. Knox has many friends here who have been very glad to see him home again. Mrs. Knox and their little daughter will join him soon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Cutler had as week end guest their son, Earl Cutler. He has this week been employed at Big Spring and will come from Houston to take up his new work.

W. R. Sanderson is spending this week with Morris Sanderson at Loop. Will Ed Tredway left Friday for Christoval, where he will remain for treatments for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. D. Yeatts, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Watts and little daughter, Elsie Jean, returned last week from a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. G. D. Wade, at El Paso. They returned via Christoval, and Mrs. Yeatts remarked Saturday that they found plenty of sleet on the ground there.

Mr. Deen Nowlin of Tahoka was here on business Friday morning.

**FARM NOTES**

**Poultry**  
"My hens have fed themselves and have paid me one hundred seventy-two dollars and ninety-six cents for the labor and care that they have received since the first of January through the month of July. The hens have paid enough monthly to take care of the living expenses of my entire family," states Jerry Spruill of the Munger community. The expenses on the entire flock for the seven months were \$110.60 while the sales of eggs and culms amounted to 283.56.

**Soil Erosion Meeting**

Most of the meetings in the different communities, have been well attended and a great deal of interest in the work is being manifested by farmers of the county. Munger com-

**FRIENDSHIP**

FRIENDSHIP is one of the finest things in life. A good friend comes to us when we are in distress and unhappy, and without a good friend our life would be empty. But to make a friend we must first be a friend. A friendly, thoughtful deed is appreciated at all times. The bonds of friendship are far more comforting than coupons cut from bonds. Don't let old friends pass out of your life just because they do not live next door. Spare a few minutes now! Reach for your telephone! Extend your personality to the next block, the next town or the another state without leaving your easy chair. Make your old friends a telephone visit while you are in the mood.

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Winning Exhibits At Lubbock Fair

August 20—Hale county to announce in the next sixty days an exhibit at the South Plains Fair here...

able, should aid in protecting the skin against exposure. Urban residents have little or no occasion to come into direct contact with infected animals...

TEXAS CORN-HOG COMMITTEE COMMENDS ADMINISTRATION

The Texas Corn-Hog Advisory Committee, being the duly elected representatives of about 38,000 Texas Corn-Hog producers in 225 counties...

We wish to go on record commending the National Administration for its untiring effort to give the farmer an opportunity to receive parity prices for the commodities he produces...

We insist upon the continuation of Agricultural Adjustment programs and processing taxes, without which Texas farmers and Texas business would suffer.

We express the determination of Texas farmers to hold our adjustment programs regardless of attacks made on them, and serve notice that in our struggle against the kind of farm program no matter what legal difficulties may arise in connection with the present one.

We heartily endorse, and are ready to assist the Texas Agricultural Association in its effort to expose the unconstitutionality of high protective industrial tariffs which have been of great damage to the majority interests of farmers...

We wish to commend and endorse the Corn and Hog Section of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in Washington for the splendid way they have carried out the program in Texas and the manner in which they have helped the Corn-Hog contractors sign up the Texas program...

We want to express the appreciation of the farmers we represent, to the Extension Service of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and M. College for the capable way the program has been handled and the fair, impartial decisions that have come from the officials in charge.

We endorse the actions of the members of the present Corn-Hog Review Board and the way they have handled the job of allotment that has been their duty. The Board has been fair and just in all its decisions and rulings, and contract signers appreciate its impartial allotments.

This committee feels that the Corn Hog program has been efficiently and fairly carried on in Texas. The committee and the contract signers appreciate the program have worked hard in putting it over. The contract signers have been harmonious and have cooperated with the officials, and this committee wants to express its appreciation to all connected with the program for the manner in which it has been handled.

Signed: J. P. Strader, Canadian, Chm. J. S. Sharp, Paris, Vice Chm. S. M. Almsworth, Gonzales, St. O. J. Edler, Crosbyton. R. E. Lee, Mason. George Slaughter, Wharton. Otho Morris, Lamesa. Judson Wood, Sherman.

ABLE BODIED RELIEF CLIENTS TO HAVE TO PICK COTTON

Austin, August 20. (Special)—As the cotton picking season gradually spreads over Texas, Relief Commission officials are re-emphasizing their demands that every available cotton picker be taken off the relief rolls and told to get a cotton sack. District Administrators have been

told to see that no able-bodied relief client be allowed to stay on the relief rolls as long as there is a job for him in the cotton fields.

Despite pest infestations, the cotton crop in Texas apparently will be appreciably large, it is indicated, and relief officials state that there be a commensurate drop in the relief load in cotton picking areas.

What effect getting off Federal Emergency Relief Administration rolls now to pick cotton will have on a client's chances of being certified to the Works Progress Administration rolls late in the fall when the cotton picking season is over, has been explained thus:

It will not jeopardize his chances at all. An unemployed able-bodied person who was on the FERA rolls in May this year and is registered with the National Reemployment Service is automatically eligible for a job with the WPA. The minute a cotton picker or anyone else who has a relief client in May has worked himself out of a job in private employment, he becomes eligible to work on WPA projects.

In view of this and the sharp reduction in relief funds, Relief Commission officials are insisting that relief rolls in heavy cotton producing areas should be reduced by as much as 50 per cent if not more during the cotton picking season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Everett were at their guests this week his sister, Mrs. M. L. Hensley, and Mr. Hensley of Wingo.

Misses Jewel Horn and Beatrice Causaux returned to their home in Mesados after a weeks visit with Miss Edyna Vermillion.

Messrs. C. D. Pickens and A. R. Adkinson of DeKalb were guests a few days last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Engler.

Mrs. W. J. Shook and Hope left Wednesday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. V. Sumrall at Ireddell.

Oil D. Harris spent the week end in Memphis, the guest of Miss Ruby Saylor and her mother, Mrs. W. W. Davis.

Miss Alice Busby arrived Monday to make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Busby. Miss Alice had remained in the Valley to complete some work before joining her family here.

Miss Ruby Saylor, who made her home with Dr. and Mrs. Ferrell Partridge for almost two years, is here for a short visit with them and with other friends before returning to her home in Memphis.

Mrs. H. R. Womack is spending the week in Lubbock with her son, Raymond Womack and Mrs. Womack.

Mrs. L. L. Busby and daughter, Miss Alice, accompanied by Miss Merle Womack, were in Lamesa Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joy Shook spent a few days this week in Lamesa with Mrs. Daggar.

PASTURAGE: Have 800 acres good grass land; plenty of water. Would take about 20 head of horses to graze See or write W. C. Edey, Rt. 1, O'Donnell.

Garnet Reeves of Lubbock was in O'Donnell Tuesday morning, promoting interests of the South Plains Fair.

News was received here last week by Mrs. Bonnie Rochelle that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rochelle had died in a Breckridge hospital last Wednesday. Mrs. Rochelle was formerly Miss Myrtle Hill, daughter of Editor E. L. Hill of the Lynn County News.

W. L. Palmer was in Lubbock on business Tuesday.

The editorial family received a card from the D. J. Bolch family one day last week mailed from New Orleans. They are having a grand time and will probably be home by the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rass Gary and children of Monohans spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gary. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Hal Singleton, Jr., and Miss June Gary who will visit with them for a few days.

Miss Earline Glibbreath is the guest this week of Miss Edwyna Vermillion. Miss Glibbreath is a graduate of this school and now holds the position of Home Demonstration Agent of Erath county. She will return to her home in Dublin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Shepherd and son, Alvin III, of Dallas left Sunday for a week's visit in New Mexico and Colorado. They have been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Huff.

THE RED & WHITE STORES

Specials for Saturday, August 24

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SALAD WAFERS, 12c size 9c
PINTO BEANS, 5 pounds 33c
BULK RICE, 5 pounds 29c
PORK & BEANS, B & W, 3 for 16c
SYRUP, 6-10 Blue Brer Rabbit 55c
CORN FLAKES, Red & white 9c
SALAD DRESSING, 8 oz. Sun Spun 14c
SALAD DRESSING, 16 oz. Sun Spun 25c
SALAD DRESSING, 32 oz. Sun Spun 35c
COFFEE, 1 lb. Red & White 31c
COFFEE, 2 lb. Red & White 60c
REGULAR MEL-O, 3 for 25c
LARGE SANI-FLUSH 21c
CAMAY SOAP, 2 for 11c
SOAP, Red & White, 6 bars for 25c
CLEANSER, Red & White 5c
WESSON OIL, pints 23c
TEA, Red & White, 1-4 lb. 24c
PINEAPPLE, No. 2 Red & White 17c
PEACHES, No. 2, Red & White 15c
TOMATOES, No. 1 Standard 5c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, Y. D., 2 for 9c
PIMENTOS, 7 oz. can, Red & White 12c
CATSUP, 14 oz. Red & White 15c
PEANUT BUTTER, quarts supreme 33c
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AUGUST 23-24

Boris Karloff in

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AUGUST 25-26

Dolores Del Rio, Pat O'Brien in

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Wednesday  
AUGUST 28

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**HIGHWAY NO. 9  
NORTH TO BE  
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According to officials in charge of the work, the entire section of Highway from Lamesa north to the Lynn county line will be opened for traffic on Friday, August 23. The work was completed Wednesday night of pouring the asphalt, but Thursday was spent in the final rolling job, making the opening for Friday.

It is expected that another week will be necessary for the completion of the section south of Lamesa to the Martin county line. This division is four miles longer than the north section and a little later start accounts for the difference in the completion of the two jobs.

We are hoping that the opening of this pavement will not call for a sudden increase in automobile accidents as usual a larger number of road accidents occur on pavement than on dirt roads due to the excessive speed usually seen on the better roads.

**Will Rogers and  
Wiley Post Killed  
In Plane Crash**

Will Rogers, humorist, actor, and Wiley Post, world-famous aviator, were killed instantly last Thursday night when their plane crashed a few minutes after the take-off from an Eskimo village near Point Barrow, Alaska.

Rogers and Post, always close friends, had gone on a flying vacation trip to Alaska before Post's projected flight to Siberia.

Natives who witnessed the terrible accident report that the plane fell from about fifty feet. Both men were pinned in the wreckage being killed instantly.

The bodies of both Rogers and Post were brought by plane back to Los Angeles, California, where Rogers will be buried Thursday in Forest Lawn Memorial Park at Los Angeles.

The body of Post was taken to Oklahoma City Tuesday by plane and services are to be held tomorrow at Maysville, Okla., home of his parents.

**Co-Operative Revival  
Begins At T-Bar**

The Baptists and Methodist of the T-Bar community are uniting their forces in a revival campaign. The Baptists have secured Rev. H. E. Miller of Grosvener, Texas, to aid in this revival. Rev. Geo. W. Montgomery, pastor of the local Methodist church will also aid in the revival. It is the aim of these churches to make this a community revival and they invite all the Christians of the community, regardless of their church relationship, to join in the meeting.

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You'll get better motor protection with Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil. Timken machine tests prove that it has 2 to 4 times greater film strength than any plain mineral

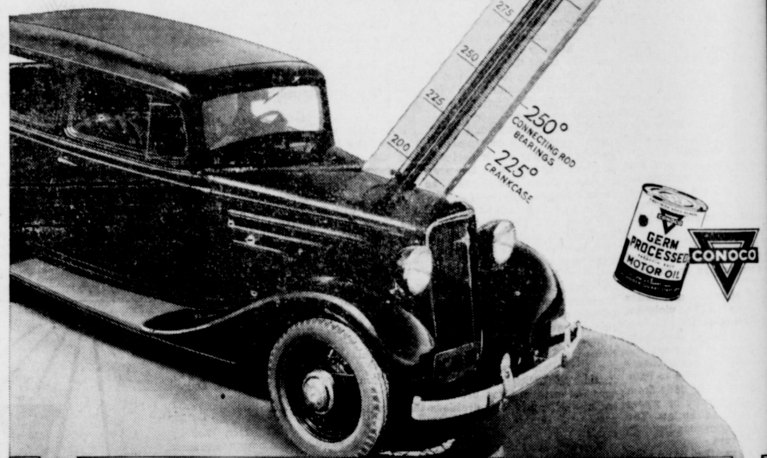
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SYRUP, Brer Rabbit, No. 10 \_\_\_\_\_ 53c

COFFEE, Bright and Early, 1 lb. \_\_\_\_\_ 18c

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KRAUT, No. 2½, 3 for \_\_\_\_\_ 25c

COCOA, Hersheys, 1 lb. \_\_\_\_\_ 12c

POST TOASTIES, large \_\_\_\_\_ 10c

SCHOOL TABLETS, 3 for \_\_\_\_\_ 10c

LAMP GLOBES, No. 2, 3 for \_\_\_\_\_ 19c

JET-OIL \_\_\_\_\_ 10c

**WHY PAY MORE**

**SEE US FOR YOUR NEEDS**

**Mrs. Austin Returned  
from Sanitarium Fri.**

The many friends of Mrs. H. J. Austin will be glad to know that she is convalescing rapidly from a recent major operation, and that her recovery has been so favorable that she was brought home from a Lamesa sanitarium Friday of last week. Mrs. Austin has been in extremely poor health for several years, so that her rapid recovery has been a very pleasant surprise to family and friends. The Index talks with other friends in the hope that she may soon be strong and well.

**SEWING MACHINES,** new and used cash or terms, at the Singer Shop, Lamesa, Texas. \_\_\_\_\_ tfc.

Messrs C. C. Caldwell and Charles Cabool made a business trip to Jalisco, New Mexico Thursday of last week.

Mrs. W. L. Palmer dropped us a line from Colorado, where she and the girls are spending a short vacation. Mrs. Fay Westmoreland and daughter Yvonne, and Misses Theima and rma D. Palmer are other members of the party. They report a wonderful trip, and cool weather.

**SEWING Machines \$10 and up.** We repair any make. Needles and parts, supplies for all makes. Phone, write or bring your sewing machine troubles to us.—Singer Shop, Lamesa. tfc.

Mr. Hugh P. Harbert of Lubbock was here on business Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCarley and Miss Ruth Hall returned last Wednesday from a visit with relatives and friends at Florence and San Saba. They were accompanied on their return by Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Allen and daughter Catherine.

Mrs. Dexton of Andrews was here on business Saturday morning.

Mrs. R. L. Stokes came by Saturday afternoon and placed her name on our subscription list for the coming year. Thank you, Mrs. Stokes.

Mrs. J. R. Nichols and little daughter, Sally Jean, arrived last week from Amarillo, and will spend three weeks or a month here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Slaughter.

Mrs. W. J. Lay of Andrews was here on business Monday morning.

**SINGER Vacuum Cleaners,** Singer Sewing Machines for sale, rent or trade.—Singer Shop, Lamesa. tfc.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tune and little son, Dickie Jr., were here from Lamesa Sunday afternoon for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Tune.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wells and daughter, Jim Ellen, spent the week end with Mrs. Well's father, Mr. J. B. Burleson and family. They attended the Old Settlers Reunion.

Miss Marie McDonald spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald.

**STALLION service:** Will bring the best Percheron stallion in the county to your mare's call or write Tom Draper, Tahoka, Rt. 3. 4tp. 43.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald have as their guests this week their daughter, Mrs. Harry Stokes and children of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arch Hart and family, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yandell, returned Sunday night to their home in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Ora Blocker and son, Dan Davis, are visiting friends and relatives in their old home town, DeKalb. They left Sunday, expecting to be gone two weeks or longer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Boyd are spending this week in Sweetwater.

Miss Evelyn Wells of Tahoka was the guest a short while Sunday of Miss Beverly Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Darr of Lubbock on Wednesday.

John R. Bizzell of the State at Lamesa was here on Wednesday afternoon.

**COAL COAL COAL COAL**

We have a car of that good NIGGERHEAD NUT COAL on the track. Inquire at the store for prices. Remember that Niggerhead is the standard by which all other coal is compared and judged, BUT, as good as Niggerhead' IS NOT the same as Niggerhead itself. Refuse all substitutes. We carry a complete line of Purina Feeds.

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